IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE (Case No. 98-385-E)

PATENT

In re Application of: Hauptmann et al.	}
Serial No.: 09/525,998	Before the Examiner: E. O'Hara
Filed: March 15, 2000) Group Art Unit: 1646
For: TNF Recentors TNF Rinding	\\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\

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Sir:

PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant requests a Three-Month Extension of Time to respond to the Official Action mailed July 29, 2005. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the amount of \$1,020.00 for an Extension fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3) to Deposit Account No. 13-2490.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: January 30, 2006

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